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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Resources Division, ORR

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FROM : Chief, CIA/PID (NPIC)

SUBJECT : An-ta-chan Oil Field, China

REFERENCE : Requirement No. RR/103/63
Project No. C 614/63

1. Referenced requirement requests a search of the An-ta-chan, China Area to determine if a petroleum refinery or chemical plant can be located, also can an oil field be identified in the vicinity, if so give its size.

2. A possible oil refinery or chemical plant is under construction just southeast of An-ta-chan, China. Tanks, construction material and a rail spur from the Harbin/Manchouli Railroad can be identified. This industrial complex has not as of the date of this photo progressed enough to be able to definitly identify the type of industry.

3. An oil field is located on either side of Harbin/Manchouli Railroad and along the western edge of An-ta-chan with approximately 100 wells; cloud cover over some of the area precludes a more accurate count. Oil well locations, gathering lines and tanks are identifiable within the cloud-free portions of the photography. There is a spur and POL storage with 4 tanks located along the south side of the railroad approximately 7 nm NW of An-ta-chan. In addition, 4 nm NW of this storage area spur rail lines have been laid for a possible future industrial complex.

4. This requirement is considered to be complete as of the date of this memorandum. The photo analysis on this project was performed by [redacted] 25X1
25X1 [redacted] who may be contacted on extension [redacted] should you have further 25X1
questions regarding this project.

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